MEMORANDUM

CEERC Agenda Item No. 2(A) TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez DATE: April 10, 2006 and Members, Board of County Commissioners Murray A. Greenberg FROM: **SUBJECT:** Resolution directing County County Attorney Manager to develop a Miami-Dade Housing program to accommodate work force housing

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle.

County Attorney

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TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez DATE: April 25, 2006 and Members, Board of County Commissioners SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. County Attorney Please note any items checked. "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget **Budget required** Statement of fiscal impact required Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)

No committee review

Approved	 Mayor	Agenda Item No.
Veto		4-25-06
Override		

	RESOLUTION NO.
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RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MANAGER
TO DEVELOP A MIAMI-DADE HOUSING
DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM UTILIZING
DOCUMENTARY SURTAX, HOME, SHIP OR GOB
FUNDS TO ACCOMMODATE WORK FORCE
HOUSING

WHEREAS, home prices in Miami-Dade County rose twenty-one percent (21%) in 2005 while incomes remained flat; and

WHEREAS, the average price of a home in Miami-Dade County is eight times the median income of families in Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, the increasing home prices make it almost impossible for the average family to purchase a home particularly in areas near employment and services,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA that:

Section 1. This Board directs the County Manager to develop a Miami-Dade Housing Development Program (the "Program") utilizing a minimum of \$6 million of Surtax, HOME, SHIP, or GOB funds to accommodate Work Force Housing. The Program guidelines shall provide for among other things: funding to be used for substantial down payment assistance in the form of second mortgages, construction lending, and other activities aimed at or related to the promotion of Work Force Housing; subsidies to eligible families of up to \$40,000 for zero to one bedroom units, up to \$60,000 for two bedroom units, and up to \$80,000 for units with three or more bedrooms; encouragement of the mixed income housing with priority given to areas

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currently implementing mixed income housing programs such as HOPE VI, revitalization of distressed neighborhoods, and the promotion of homeownership opportunities; assistance to families making up to 140% of area medium income; and restrictions to maintain the affordability of homes subsidized by the Program. The maximum sales price of homes subsidized by the Program shall conform to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development's (USHUD) Florida Housing Authority standards.

Section 2. The Manager shall return to this Board in sixty (60) days with a resolution setting forth detailed guidelines for the Program and identifying the source of and allocating \$6 million over two (2) years to implement the Program.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle and offered by Commissioner , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman

Bruno A. Barreiro
Audrey M. Edmonson
Sally A. Heyman
Dorrin D. Rolle
Katy Sorenson
Sen. Javier D. Souto

Jose "Pepe" Diaz Carlos A. Gimenez Barbara J. Jordan Natacha Seijas Rebeca Sosa



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The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 25th day of April, 2006. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By:_______ Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

Shannon D. Summerset